



**Superior Court of California  
County of Orange**

***NEWS RELEASE***

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**40% of Prospective Members Eligible to  
Serve on the Orange County Grand Jury are Minorities**

Santa Ana - The gender and racial makeup of the 30 individuals who have been nominated by the judges of the Orange County Superior Court to serve on the grand jury are more representative of the county's diversity. The composition of the prospective jurors includes six females, four Hispanics, three Asians, three Blacks and two American Indians, announced Presiding Judge C. Robert Jameson.

"I am pleased that these numbers indicate the likelihood that we will have a more diverse grand jury," said Jameson. "We really reached out to the community in our recruitment for prospective jurors and received the highest response in years."

The 19 finalists and 11 alternates for the grand jury will be selected by a random drawing at the Central Justice Center on May 19, 2000. They will serve for a one-year term, beginning July 1, 2000.

The names of the grand juror nominees and the Supervisorial Districts in which they reside are as listed on the following page.

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### District #1

Westminster, Midway City, Fountain Valley, Most of Santa Ana and Half of Garden Grove

Ronald Burczewski  
Ernest Butler  
Dianne Hoffman  
An Nguyen  
Louis Troung  
San Vu

### District #2

Costa Mesa, Cypress, Huntington Beach, Los Alamitos, Seal Beach, Stanton, Rossmore and Sunset Beach

Abel Barboza  
Margaret Beard  
Joseph Gatlin  
Raymond Gott  
Edmond Macias  
Roy Richardson

### District #3

Brea, Foothill Ranch, Fullerton, La Habra, Lake Forest, Mission Viejo, North Tustin, Portola Hills, Villa Park and Yorba Linda

David Armstrong  
Benjamin Beams  
Charles Chodzko, Jr.  
Harold Fischer  
David Hauk  
Larry Peterson

### District #4

Anaheim, Buena Park, La Palma, Placentia, Cypress Island, El Modena, West Anaheim, and portions of Orange

Maureen Collins  
Robert Linn  
Walter Lynch  
Henry Marquez  
Margot Palmgren  
Arthur Weaver

### District #5

Dana Point, Irvine, Laguna Beach, Laguna Hills, Laguna Niguel, Newport Beach, San Clemente, San Juan Capistrano, Tustin, Aliso Viejo, Coto De Caza, Laguna Woods, Rancho Santa Margarita

Paul Arritt  
Douglas Bennett  
Joseph Boyle  
Schubert Byers  
Tino Romero, Jr.  
Katherine Watson-Jones

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